

JESUS ON THE MOVE: DESTINATION WILDERNESS

JANUARY 21, 2024



THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PLYMOUTH, MI

SANCTUARY SERVICE 9:30 AM

PRELUDE *"Sacred Prelude for Organ"* arr. J.M. Stevens

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Emily Riley Campbell
(Members and visitors, please sign and pass our friendship pads which are located in the rack of your pew)

OPENING PRAYER Rev. Campbell

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 68 *"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"*
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ANTHEM *"Praise, My Soul, The King of Heaven"* arr. H. Helvey
The Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Rev. Campbell
(Following the message, the children are invited to Sunday School)

CALL TO CONFESSION Rev. Ashley S. Ashley

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

O God who gives us life and love, you hold us in your hands. You cradle us in our need, and you push us into growth. We confess to you that all is not well, that we sometimes lose sight of that which is pure and just. All is not well, and we hurt in part because we cannot make things better for ourselves, for those we love, or for the world. All is not well, and we find it easy to succumb to despair. And so, O God, we pray for healing, for strength and courage, and for grace to meet this day and this world. We pray to find you in the midst, and to be cradled by you once again.
(Silence for personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Rev. Ashley

HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 637 *"His Strength Is Perfect"* (sung twice, 1st time choir, 2nd time all)
His strength is perfect when our strength is gone; he'll carry us when we can't carry on. Raised in his power, the weak become strong; his strength is perfect, his strength is perfect.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 16:1-8 Rev. Ashley

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Ashley
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

CALL TO OFFERING Rev. Ashley

OFFERTORY

"Take My Hand"
The Chancel Choir

arr. D. Besig

*DOXOLOGY NO. 34

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Rev. Ashley

*HYMN OF PREPARATION NO. 449

"Day by Day"

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SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 4:1-13

Rev. Campbell

SERMON

Jesus On The Move: Destination Wilderness

Rev. Campbell

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (in unison) Selections from "A Brief Statement of Faith PC (USA)"

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve.

We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel. Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition, Jesus was crucified, suffering the depths of human pain and giving his life for the sins of the world. God raised this Jesus from the dead, vindicating his sinless life, breaking the power of sin and evil, delivering us from death to life eternal.

*CLOSING HYMN NO. 106

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"

*BENEDICTION AND BLESSING

Rev. Campbell

POSTLUDE

"Benedictus on Sicilian Mariners"

arr. G. Young

All who are able are invited to stand

+++Please be seated

Sanctuary Ushers today are: Denise Stewart, Chuck Hodge, & Orlean Heidel

Upper Room Ushers today are: Janet Sibbold & Dixie Fee

Counting Team Members today are: Chuck Hodge & Stu Dodge

Deacons of the Day today are: Diana Markley & Mark Millerwise

Thank you to the Sanctuary and Upper Room Tech Team members!

January 7th's Flower Arrangements were Given to the Glory of God and...

- The flowers on January 7, 2024 were also In loving memory of my mother Hazel Trombly and my daughter Nancy Sibley from Thelma Sibley.

This Week's Flower Arrangements are Given to the Glory of God and...

- In loving memory of our fathers, Fred Anthony and Robert Harris by Don and Margie Harris.
- In loving memory of Tom Brady from Nancy and family.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PLYMOUTH, MI

THE UPPER ROOM SERVICE

11:15 A.M.

Call to Worship

PRELUDE SONG	<i>"Future / Past"</i>	Johannes Stauffer
WORSHIP SONG	<i>"Ever Be"</i>	Johannes Stauffer
PASSING OF THE PEACE		Rev. Emily R. Campbell
OPENING PRAYER OF PRAISE		Rev. Campbell
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS		Rev. Campbell

Welcome & Opening

INTRODUCTION TO SERMON SERIES		Rev. Ashley S. Ashley
FIRST SCRIPTURE READING	Exodus 16:1-8	Rev. Ashley
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE		Rev. Campbell
SECOND SCRIPTURE READING	Luke 4:1-13	Rev. Emily

Offertory

CALL TO OFFERING		Rev. Campbell
OFFERING SONG	<i>"I Will Follow"</i>	Johannes Stauffer
PRAYER OF DEDICATION		Rev. Campbell

Word & Teaching

SERMON	Jesus On The Move: Destination Wilderness	Rev. Campbell
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Our Response

SONG OF RESPONSE	<i>"Good To Me"</i>	Johannes Stauffer
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER		Rev. Ashley
CLOSING SONG	<i>"Great Are You Lord"</i>	Johannes Stauffer
BENEDICTION AND BLESSING		Rev. Campbell

Vision Statement

We are a family of faith, called to celebrate God's message of love and forgiveness in Jesus Christ. Guided by the living Word of God, we nurture one another through worship, prayer, teaching, and fellowship. Led by the Holy Spirit, we reach out with hearts and hands to those in need, seeking to inspire hope in an ever-changing community and world.

Prayer Concerns

Questions or concerns about the prayer list should be directed to prayerlist@fpcp.net. Or you can fill out a google form at <https://forms.gle/XFBE7jivuP7qWCdG7>

Please pray for the following church members and friends who are in special circumstances. In the listings below members' names will be printed in bold type. The names of family & friends will be printed in italic. Names are only left in the bulletin for one month unless you call again or the office is aware of the circumstances.

Family & Friends of Members

Paul Widzinski, friend of **Kathy Bernard**
Quentin Vernatter, friend of **Brian Detter**
Howard Blanchard, son-in-law of **Donna Brydan**
Friend of Sarah Campbell
David Raub, brother of **Carol Dobos**
Tom Dueweke, friend of **Sandy and Steve Marulis**
Karen Barlow, wife of **Dennis Barlow**
Sally and Rachel Kollar, friends of **Becky DeLoy**
Jack and Gayle DeYoung, uncle and aunt of **Ginny Weaver**
Jennifer Carpenter, daughter of **Sterling Shephard**
Lewandowski family, friends of **Sue Maynard**
John Mcgrath, friend of **Brenda and Dean Aulinskis**
Dennis Dodge, brother of **Stu Dodge and Dorothy Simescu**
David Krajovic, friend of **Kurt Wilder**
Diane Huhn, sister of **Sue Kage**
Kathy Laber-Laird sister of **Becky DeLoy**
Magda, Compassion International child sponsored by PW

Members In Assisted Living Victoria Whipple

Members

Sheila Place
Doris Rorabacher
Dana Leader
Pat Wright
Neil & Ingrid Sendelbach
Ray & Kathy Stella
Karen Chapin
Sue Grant
Mandy Hillard
Kim Zuhlke
Katherine Ray
Dale Leanhardt
Lynn Walgenbach
Don & Carol Loesch
John & Cynthia Hartsig
Hannah Campbell
Ervin Miller
Carolyn Koup
Richard Frost

Active Military

- **Lisa Newton** - US Navy, currently preparing for deployment.
- **Wyatt Petty, son of Chip & Lisa Petty** - Private in the Army National Guard, recently graduated from basic training in Georgia.
- **Samuel Wolf, son of Andrew and Jennifer Wolf** currently at Naval Nuclear Power Training School.
- *Max Bair*, grandson of **Jeff and Carolyn Koup** - Fire Controlman Aegis 3rd Class, US Navy, currently stationed in San Diego.
- *Adam Smith*, brother of **Rev. Ashley** - currently deployed on the USS Carl Vincent in the Pacific Ocean.

Sympathies

- Our sympathy to **John McKinley** and family for the loss of his father, *Larry McKinley*.
- Our sympathy goes out to **Elizabeth and Brian Detter** and family at the loss of cousin *Deborah Ptak*.



FPCP Youth Mission Trip **COLINA**

JULY 18-24 2024

Informational meeting 12:30 PM
January 21st, 2024 Youth Room

FOR MORE
INFORMATION



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Thrift Shop

Thrift Shop Volunteers Needed! Many hands make light work. The Thrift Shop is looking for volunteers to help do a post-holiday deep-cleaning. We will be holding a cleaning session when the Thrift Shop is closed on **Monday, January 22nd and January 29th from 10:00am to 1:00pm**. Please bring cleaning supplies, dusting tools, and vacuums for whichever task you would like to do that day.

The Thrift Shop is looking for volunteers to work a couple hours a week or month. Please contact Linda Luke if you have further questions at Lindaluke2018@gmail.com or 734.812.4516.

Announcement for Congregational Meeting

Our Annual Congregational Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, January 28, 2024 at 10:30 AM in the Sanctuary.

Business to be conducted includes approving the Terms of Call for Reverends Campbell and Ashley and electing the Nominating Committee.

Proposed members for the Nominating Committee are: Kris Black, Barb Bullotta, Dale DeLoy, Sandy Dodge, Dave Hansen, Julie Heasley, Cathy McKinstry and Steve Marulis.

This Week at First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth

Sunday, January 21

- 9:00am Chancel Choir Rehearsal (231 Knox Hall)
- 9:30am Sanctuary Service (Sanctuary)
- 9:30am Sunday School (41 Sunday School Room)
- 11:15am Upper Room Service (231 Knox Hall)
- 12:30pm Mission Trip Info Meeting (18 Youth Room, Kitchen, & Fellowship Hall)
- 5:30pm Continuing the Word Bible Study (Chapel & Zoom)
- 6:00pm Board Game Pajama Party (18 Youth Room, Kitchen, & Fellowship Hall)
- 7:00pm Listening to Jesus: Responding in Faith Bible Study (Zoom)

Monday, January 22

- 9:30am Park Bench AA Meeting (134 Classroom)
- 12:30pm Threads to Heal the Heart (134 Classroom)
- 7:00pm Session Meeting (231 Upper Room & Zoom)

Tuesday, January 23

- 9:30am Park Bench AA Meeting (134 Classroom)
- 1:00pm Staff Meeting (124 Hearth Room)
- 2:30pm Zoom Chair Yoga with Sharon (Zoom only)
- 5:00pm Zoom Chair Yoga with Sharon—A Safe, Strong Back (Zoom only)
- 7:00pm Partners in Earth Care Meeting (120 Chapel)
- 7:00pm Member Connect (124 Hearth Room & Zoom)

Wednesday, January 24

- 7:45am Early Word Bible Study (Zoom Only)
- 9:30am Park Bench AA Meeting (134 Classroom)
- 10:00am Women of the Word Bible Study (124 Hearth Room, Library, 42 Classroom, & Chapel)
- 7:00pm Joyful Ringers Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday, January 25

- 9:30am Park Bench AA Meeting (134 Classroom)
- 7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (231 Knox Hall)
- 7:30pm Thursday Night AA (028 Dining Room)

Friday, January 26

- 9:30am Park Bench AA Meeting (134 Classroom)

Saturday, January 27

- 7:45am SMMBS (124 Hearth Room & Zoom)



The January Newsletter is HERE!
Use the QR code to see it!

COMMUNITY MINISTRIES & MISSION OUTREACH

First Presbyterian Church, Plymouth

Our Community

Alcoholics Anonymous
 American Red Cross Blood Drive
 FPCP Benevolence Fund
 FPCP Comfort Care Kits
 FPCP College Student Gift Cards
 FPCP Earth Care Ministries
 FPCP Matching Scholarship
 Kids Hope USA
 Plymouth Salvation Army
Adopt-an-Angel/Gift Tree
Bell Ringing
Keep it Clean Drive
 FPCP Matching Scholarship, for
 Mission Trip Attendees
 FPCP Prayer Quilts and Shawls
 Presbyterian Thrift Shop
 Suppers of Support
 Vista Maria
 Second Mile Center—youth program, food, & clothing

Our Surrounding Area

Crossroads
 Faith Communities Coalition
Foster Children
 First Step - Domestic Violence Shelter
 & ARK - *Animals Receiving Kindness*
 Fort Street Open Door
Soup Kitchen Assistance
Financial Assistance
Clothing Drives
 Hope Clinic
 Northville Civic Concern
 Presbyterian Women Faith Goal

Presbyterian Colleges and Seminaries

Princeton Seminary
Rev. Phil Magee Endowment

Our Nation

Supporting our Presbyterian Church (USA)
 Connectional Ministry through
 our Benevolence Budget to these
 governing bodies:
 Detroit Presbytery
 Synod of the Covenant
 General Assembly Causes
 Presbyterian Disaster Assistance
 Youth Haven, Jackson, MI

Our World

Church World Services
 Colina de Luz Orphanage, Mexico
 Compassion International
Sponsoring Children
 Marion Medical Mission, Malawi,
 Africa
 Hunger Relief
 Girls Hostel
 Girls Scholarship Program
 Mtenthera CCAP, Malawi Africa
 (Our Sister Church in Malawi)
Girl's Dormitory
 PC(USA) Hunger Ministries
One Great Hour of Sharing
 Presbyterian Disaster Assistance

Presbyterian Thrift Shop

331 North Main Street
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**Tuesday 10 AM - 2 PM;
 Wednesday 6 PM - 8 PM
 (March-December);
 Thursday 10 AM - 2 PM;
 Saturday 10 AM - 3 PM**

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